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## OIL, GAS AND MINERAL LEASE

THIS AGREEMENT made this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_ May , 2008, between United States Postal Service, Lessor (whether one or more), whose address is: P O Box 667180, Dallas, Texas 75266-7180 and Dale Property Services, LLC., whose address is: 2100 Ross Avenue, Suite 1870, LB-9, Dallas, TX 75201, Lessee, WTTNESSETH:

1. Lessor, in consideration of Twenty Four Thousand Three Hundred and no/100 Dollars (\$24,300.00) and other valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and of the covenants and agreements of Lessee hereinafter contained, does hereby grant, lease and let unto Lessee the land covered hereby for the purposes and with the exclusive right of exploring, drilling, mining and operating for, producing and owning oil, gas, casinghead gas and other related gaseous or liquid hydrocarbon by-products. The land covered hereby, herein called "said land," is located in the County of <a href="Tarrant">Tarrant</a>, State of Texas, and is described as follows:

4.050 acres, more or less, being Blk 4 Lot D, of the West Plaza Addition, and addition to the City of Fort Worth, thereof recorded in Volume 7025 Pages 210, of the Plat records of Tarrant County, Texas, and being the same lands described in the attached Exhibit "B".

This is a non-development Oil, Gas Lease, whereby Lessee, its successors or assigns, shall not conduct any operations, as defined herein, on the surface of said lands. However, Lessee shall have the right to pool or unitize said lands, or part thereof, with other lands to comprise an oil and/or gas development unit. It is the intention of Lessor to allow Lessee to explore for oil and/or gas without using the surface of Lessor's land for any operations. This clause shall take precedence over any references to surface operations contained within the preprinted portion of this lease.

#### SEE EXHIBT "A" FOR ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS

This lease also covers and includes, in addition to that above described, all land, if any, contiguous or adjacent to or adjoining the land above described and (a) owned or claimed by Lessor by limitation, prescription, possession, reversion or unrecorded instrument or (b) as to which Lessor has a preference right of acquisition. Lessor agrees to execute any supplemental instrument requested by Lessee for a more complete or accurate description of said land. For the purpose of determining the amount of any bonus or other payment hereunder, said land shall be deemed to contain 4.05 acres, whether actually containing more or less, and the above recital of acreage in any tract shall be deemed to be the true acreage thereof. Lessor accepts the bonus as lump sum consideration for this lease and all rights and options hereunder.

- 2. Unless sooner terminated or longer kept in force under other provisions hereof, this lease shall remain in force for a term of \_\_\_\_\_3 \_\_\_\_years from the date hereof, hereinafter called "primary term," and as long thereafter as operations, as hereinafter defined, are conducted upon said land with no cessation for more than ninety (90) consecutive days.
- 3. As royalty, Lessee covenants and agrees: (a) To deliver to the credit of Lessor, in the pipe line to which Lessee may connect its wells, the equal 25% part of all oil produced and saved by Lessee from said land, or from time to time, at the option of Lessee, to pay Lessor the average posted market price of such 25% part of such oil at the wells as of the day it is run to the pipe line or storage talks, Lessor's interest, in either case, to bear 25% of the cost of treating oil to render it marketable pipe line oil; (b) To pay Lessor on gas and casinghead gas produced from said land (1) when sold by Lessee, 25% of the amount realized by Lessee, computed at the mouth of the well, or (2) when used by Lessee off said land or in the manufacture of gasoline or other products, the market value, at the mouth of the well, or 25% of such gas and casinghead gas or other liquid or passous hydrocarbons. If at the expiration of the primary term or at any time or times thereafter, there is any well on said land or on lands with which said land or any portion thereof has been pooled, capable of producing oil or gas, and all such wells are shut-in, this lease shall, nevertheless, continue in force as though operations were being conducted on said land for so long as said wells are shut-in, and thereafter this lease may be continued in force as it no shut-in had occurred. Lessee covenants and agrees to use reasonable diligence to produce, utilize, or market the minerals capable of being produced from said wells, but in the exercise of such diligence, Lessee shall not be obligated to install or furnish facilities other than well facilities and ordinary lease facilities of flow lines, separator, and lease tank, and shall not be required to settle labor trouble or to market gas upon terms unacceptable to Lessee. If, at any time or times after the expiration of said ninety day period, Lessee shall pay or tender, by check or draft of Lessee, as royalty, a sum equal to one hundred dollar (\$100.00) for each acre of land then co
- A. Lessec is hereby granted the right, at its option, to pool or unitize any land covered by this lease with any other land covered by this lease, and/or with any other land, lease, or leases, as to any or all minerals or horizons, so as to establish units containing not more than 80 surface acres, plus 10% acreage tolerance, provided, however, units may be established as to any one or more horizons, or existing units may be enlarged as to any one or more horizons, or existing units may be enlarged as to any one or more horizons, or existing units may be enlarged as to any one or more horizons, or existing units may be enlarged as to any one or more horizons, or existing units may be enlarged as to any one or more horizons, or existing units may be enlarged as to any one or more horizons, or existing units may be enlarged as to any one or more horizons, or existing units may be enlarged as to any one or more horizons, or existing units may be enlarged as to any one or more horizons, or existing units may be enlarged as gas wells by the conservation agency having jurisdiction. If larger units than any of those herein permitted, either at the time established, or after enlargement, are required under any governmental rule or order, for the drilling or operation of a well at a regular location, or for obtaining maximum allowler form whell to be drilled, drilling, or already drilled, any such unit may be established or enlarged to conform to the size required by such governmental order or rule. Lessee shall exercise asid option as to each desired unit by executing an instrument identifying; such unit and filing; if for record in the public office which this lease is recorded. Each of said options may be exercised by Lessee at any time and from time to time while this lease is in force, and whether before or after production has been established either on said land, or on the portion of said laid miduled in the unit, or on other land unitized therewish. A unit established hereunder shall be valid and effective for a
- 5. Lessee may at any time and from time to time execute and deliver to Lessor or file for record a release or releases of this lease as to any part or all of said land or of any mineral or horizon thereunder, and thereby be relieved of all obligations, as to the released acreage or interest.

- 6. Whenever used in this lease the word "operations" shall mean operations for and any of the following: drilling, testing, completing, recomputing, deepening, plugging back or repairing of a well in search for or in an endeavor to obtain production of oil, gas, sulphur or other minerals, excavating a mine, production of oil, gas, casinghead gas or other liquid or gaseous hydrocarbons, whether or not in paying quantities.
  - 7. Lessee shall have the use, free from royalty, of water, other than from Lessor's water wells, from said land in all operations hereunder.
- 8. The rights and estate of any party hereto may be assigned from time to time in whole or in part and as to any mineral or horizon. All of the covenants, obligations, and considerations of this lease shall extend to and be binding upon the parties hereto, their heirs, successors, assigns, and successive assigns. No change or division in the ownership of said land, royalties, or other moneys, or any part thereof, howsoever effected, shall increase the obligations or diminish the rights of Lessee, including, but not limited to, the location and drilling of wells and the measurement of production. Notwithstanding any other actual or constructive knowledge or notice thereof of or to Lessee, its successors or assigns, no change or division in the ownership of said land or of the royalties, or other moneys, or the right to receive the same, howsoever effected, shall be binding upon successors, or assigns, notice of such change or division, supported by either originals or duly certified copies of the instruments which have been properly filed for record and which evidence such change or division, and of such court records and proceedings, transcripts, or other documents as shall be necessary in the opinion of such record owner to establish the validity of such change or division. If any such change in ownership occurs by reason of the death of the owner, Lessee may, nevertheless pay or tender such royalties, or other moneys, or part thereof, to the credit of the decedent in a depository bank provided for above.
- 9. In the event Lessor considers that Lessee has not complied with all its obligations hereunder, both express and implied, Lessor shall notify Lessee in writing, setting out specifically in what respects Lessee has breached this contract. Lessee shall then have sixty (60) days after receipt of said notice within which to meet or commence to meet all or any part of the breaches alleged by Lessor. The service of said notice shall be precedent to the bringing of any action by Lessor on said lease for any cause, and no such action shall be brought until the lapse of sixty (60) days after service of such notice on Lessee. Neither the service of said notice nor the doing of any acts by Lessee aimed to meet all or any of the alleged breaches shall be deemed an admission or presumption that Lessee has failed to perform all its obligations hereunder. If this lease is canceled for any cause, it shall nevertheless remain in force and effect as to (1) sufficient acreage around each well as to which there are operations to constitute a drilling or maximum allowable unit under applicable governmental regulations, (but in no event less that forty acres), such acreage to be designated by Lessee as nearly as practicable in the form of a square centered at the well, or in such shape as then existing spacing rules require; and (2) now part of said lend included in a receled unit on which there are operations existing spacing rules require; and (2) any part of said land included in a pooled unit on which there are operations.
- 10. Lessor's rights and interests hereunder shall be charged primarily with any mortgages, taxes or other liens, or interest and other charges on said land, but Lessor agrees that Lessee shall have the right at any time to pay or reduce same for Lessor, either before or after maturity, and be subrogated to the rights of the holder thereof and to deduct amounts so paid from royalties or other payments payable or which may become payable to Lessor and/or assigns under this lease. If this lease covers a less interest in the oil, gas, sulphur, or other minerals in all or any part of said land than the entire and undivided fee simple estate (whether Lessor's interest is herein specified or not), or no interest therein, then the royalties and other moneys accruing from any part as to which this lease covers less than such full interest, shall be paid only in the proportion which the interest therein, if any, covered by this lease, bears to the whole and undivided fee simple estate therein. All royalty interest covered by this lease (whether or not owned by Lessor) shall be paid out of the royalty herein provided. This lease shall be binding upon each party who executes it without regard to whether it is executed by all those named herein as Lessor.
- 11. If, while this lease is in force, at, or after the expiration of the primary term hereof, it is not being continued in force by reason of the shut-in well provisions of paragraph 3 hereof, and Lessee is not conducting operations on said land by reason of (1) any law, order, rule or regulation, (whether or not subsequently determined to be invalid) or (2) any other cause, whether similar or dissimilar, (except financial) beyond the reasonable control of Lessee, the primary term hereof shall be extended until the first anniversary date hereof occurring ninety (90) or more days following the removal of such delaying cause, and this lease may be extended thereafter by operations as if such delay had not occurred.
- 12. As a result of land development in the vicinity of the lease premises, governmental rules or ordinances regarding well sites, and/or surface restrictions as may be set forth in this lease and/or other leases in the vicinity, surface locations for well sites in the vicinity may be limited and Lessee may encounter difficulty securing surface location(s) for drilling, reworking or other operations. Therefore, since drilling, reworking or other operations are either restricted or not allowed on the lease premises or other leases in the vicinity, it is agreed that any such operations conducted at a surface location off of the lease premises or off of lands with which the lease premises are pooled in accordance with this lease, provided that such operations are associated with a directional well for the purpose of drilling, reworking, producing or other operations under the lease premises or lands pooled therewith, shall for purposes of this lease be deemed operations conducted on the lease premises. Nothing contained in this paragraph is intended to modify any surface restrictions or pooling provisions or restrictions contained in this lease, except as expressly stated.
- 13. Anything to the contrary herein notwithstanding, this lease does not grant to Lessee any rights whatsoever, express or implied, to go upon or use any portion of the surface of the Leased Premises for any purpose hereunder. No wells will be drilled, and no facilities of any kind (including, but not limited to, roads, pipelines, flow lines, water reserve pits, tank batteries or treaters) will be placed on the surface of the Leased Premises.
- 14. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this lease, should a shut-in royalty payment not be properly made in a timely manner as provided for in this lease, Lessor may, at Lessor's option, elect to terminate the applicable portion of this lease by sending written notice to Lessee by certified mail; provided that, Lessee shall then have thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such written notice in which to avoid termination of the applicable portion of this lease by making or causing to be made the proper shut-in royalty payment. If such shut-in royalty payment is not made on or before the expiration of said thirty (30) day period, Lessor may elect to terminate the applicable portion of this lease by filing a Notice of Termination with the County Clerk in the county where the lease premises are located. The effective date of said termination shall be the date said Notice of Termination is filed with the said County Clerk.
- 15. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this lease, at the option of Lessee, which may be exercised by Lessee giving notice to Lessor, a well which has been drilled and Lessee intends to frac shall be deemed a well capable of producing in paying quantities and the date such well is shut-in shall be when the drilling operations are completed.
  - See attached addenda (Exhibit "A") for Paragraphs 16 through 24.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this instrument is executed on the date first above written.

STATE OF TEXAS	}	·
COUNTY OF DALLAS	} ss. (	(ACKNOWLEDGMENT FOR CORPORATION)
This instrument was acknowledged before me on the day of Officer, United States Postal Service, on behalf of said corporation .		
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Sandra A. Rybicki

Seal:

Contracting Officer, United States Postal Service

#### **EXHIBIT "A"**

ATTACHED TO AND MADE A PART OF THAT CERTAIN OIL AND GAS LEASE BY AND BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE, LESSOR, AND <u>Dale Property Services, LLC</u>, AS LESSEE, DATED <u>May 6</u>, 2008.

- 16. It is understood and agreed that Lessee and its assigns shall not conduct any drilling operations on the leased property and this Lease is to be used for pooling or unitization purposes only. Notwithstanding any provision of this Lease, Lessee or its assigns shall not in any way or manner interfere with the possession or utilization of the surface estate of Lessor, or any other Tenant thereof, or utilize the surface estate of Lessor for any purpose under this Lease.
- 17. If Lessee should elect to exercise its right to pool as provided under Paragraph 4, Lessee agrees to include the entirety of the property covered by this Lease in said pool or unit, and may not include only a portion of the leased property within said pool or unit.
- 18. This Lease is and shall at all times be subject to and subordinate to any liens of any mortgages, deeds or trust or other collateral security instruments now or hereinafter place upon said land, and/or any portion thereof, without the necessity of further instruments or act on the part of Lessee to effectuate such subordination.
- 19. Notwithstanding any provisions of this Lease, Lessee recognizes and agrees that Lessee has investigated Lessor's title to said land and shall be solely responsible for the accuracy of the legal description thereof, and Lessor's ownership therein, and Lessor assumes no liability whatsoever relative to such matters. Should it be determined by title opinion or court decision that Lessor owns less than 100% of the minerals under the leased tract and title to the outstanding interest shall be made available for sale to Lessee, Lessee agrees to give the United States Postal Service the right of first refusal to purchase said outstanding interest under the leased property. Any outstanding interest so purchased by the Lessor shall immediately become subject to the terms and conditions of this lease if same is still in effect at the time of purchase by Lessor. . If it is determined by title opinion, court case or other proceedings that Lessor owns less than 100% of the minerals under the properties covered by this Lease, Lessor shall not be required to reimburse Lessee for any "excess" bonus money or royalties which may have been tendered by Lessee to Lessor prior to said determination. By acceptance of this Oil & Gas Lease, Lessee agrees that It has reviewed the records of the County in which the leased property is located and has satisfied itself that the properties are not presently covered by a previously existing Oil & Gas Lease. Lessor shall not incur any liability or suffer any damages as a result of said pre-existing Lease. This indemnification by Lessee shall extend to Lessee's successors or assigns. If it is determined that there is a preexisting Lease on the subject property, then this Lease shall be treated as a top lease who's base term shall continue for a period of two years beyond the filing of a Release of Lease of the pre-existing Lease in the County Records by the holder of said pre-existing Lease.
- 20. The royalty figure indicated under Paragraphs 3 & 4 of this lease have been amended to read 1/4. Notwithstanding any provisions in the attached lease or the preceding amending sentence, Lessee agrees that Lessor's royalty interest shall never be less than the highest rate paid to any other Lessor within the unit or pool in which the subject properties are included.
- 21. Shut-in Royalty payments shall not maintain this lease for more than three (3) years beyond its primary term. This lease may not be further extended beyond said three (3) year period except by continuous operations (with no cessation of more than 90 days) on properties pooled or unitized with said leased properties or, by the payment of royalties except in the instances (1) operations are ceased by reason of any law, order, rule or regulation, (whether or not subsequently determined to be invalid) or (2) any other cause, whether similar or dissimilar (except financial) beyond the reasonable control of Lessee, in which instance the primary term of this lease shall be extended until the first anniversary of the date hereof occurring ninety (90) or more days following the removal of the delaying cause, and this Lease shall be extended thereafter by operations as if such delay had not occurred.
- 22. Two (2) years following the expiration of the primary term of this lease or upon the expiration of any extension or renewal of the primary term, whichever occurs last, Lessee shall release all the rights lying one hundred feet (100') below the stratigraphic equivalent of the base of the deepest formation drilled; provided, however, if Lessee is then engaged in operations on the leased premises or on lands pooled therewith, this lease shall remain in full force and effect as to all depths so long as no more than ninety (90) days elapse between said operations. Upon termination of this lease as to any depths not maintained by production, continuous operations or by payment of shut-in royalties as provided elsewhere in this agreement, Lessee shall timely file of record in the County in which the subject properties are located, a Release of Oil & Gas Lease effective as to all depths 100 feet below the stratigraphic equivalent of the then deepest producing horizon of any well with which the leased premises are pooled or unitized.

- 23. Irregardiess of language contained elsewhere in this Lease, shut-in royalty payments shall be \$100.00/acre covered by this lease. Payment with respect to a well will be due within 180 days after the well is shut-in. All subsequent Shut-in Royalty payments shall be due upon the anniversary date of the first Shut-in Royalty payment,
- 24. OPTION TO EXTEND: In consideration for the execution of this lease agreement, the Lessor does grant to the Lessee an exclusive option to renew and extend, for an additional two (2) years, the Lease covering the acreage described herein upon the identical terms and provisions contained in this lease agreement. The option, becomes effective if it is exercised prior to the expiration of this three (3) year Lease and upon the payment by the Lessee to the Lessor of \$6,000.00 per acre.

Signed for Identification:

Dale Property Services LLC

BY: Mike Taliaferro

President

United States Postal Service

BY: Sandra A. Rybicki

Contracting Officer

#### **EXHIBIT "B"**

BEING a tract or parcel of land out of the HAYS COVINGTON SURVEY, ABSTRACT NO. 256, and a portion of that certain tract of land as conveyed to Ryan Mortgage Company, recorded in Volume 7025, Page 210, Deed Records, Tarrant County, Texas, situated in the northwest part of Tarrant County, Texas, and being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows:

COMMENCING at a point in the east right-of-way line of Broadmoor Drive, a public right-of-way, said POINT OF BEGINNING also being the northwest corner of LOT 1, BLOCK 20, BROADMOOR ADDITION as recorded in Volume 388-E, Page 20, Deed Records, Tarrant County, Texas;

THENCE North 06° 59' 38" East with the east right-of-way line of said Broadmoor Drive a distance of 80.0 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING of the herein described tract;

THENCE North 06° 58' 38" East continuing along the east right-of-way line of said Broad-moor Drive, a distance of 35.0 feet to a point;

THENCE South 83° 02' 22" East leaving the east right-of-way line of said Broadmoor Drive, a distance of 239.0 feet to a point;

THENCE North 01° 05' 13" East a distance of 297.34 feet to a point;

THENCE South 80° 12' 19" East a distance of 519.39 feet to a point in the west right-of-way line of Cherry Lane, an 80 foot public right-of-way;

THENCE South 01° 05' 13" West with the west right-of-way line of said Cherry Lane, a distance of 330.0 feet to a point;

THENCE North 88° 54' 49" West leaving the west right-of-way line of said Cherry Lane, a distance of 17.88 feet to a point;

THENCE North 83° 02' 24" West a distance of 45.40 feet to a point;

THENCE North 75° 30' 08" West a distance of 190.59 feet to a point;

THENCE North 83° 02' 22" West a distance of 509.08 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING of the herein described tract and containing 176,420.85 square feet, or 4.0501 acres, of land, more or less;

and being commonly known as:

LOT D, BLOCK 4, WEST PLAZA ADDITION, an Addition to the City of Fort Worth, Texas, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 388-198, Page 77 of the Map Records of Tarrant County, Texas.



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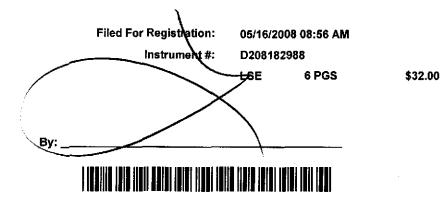
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